

FIRST CIRCUS OF YEAR ANNOUNCED

Al G. Barnes Four-Ring Wild Animal Show Will Appear Here August 9.

The first circus of the 1920 season in Memphis will make its appearance here Aug. 9, when the Al G. Barnes four-ring wild animal circus will show here for the first time. Although this will be the initial appearance of this circus in the Bluff City, news from other cities where the show has visited many times speaks highly of the excellence of the show and its performance.

Robert W. Thompson, general press man in advance of the show, was in Memphis Friday and promises that the entire circus will make its appearance in Memphis, as the attractiveness of this city as a circus-lover is to well known not to warrant the Barnes management to put forth every effort to make the exhibition here so well received that Memphis will become a more or less permanent stopping place for the show as other large cities in the West and Central West have been.

According to Thompson, the Barnes circus has more than 1,000 wild animals, the majority of which are all trained, and of which total many are fearless wild animal trainers and handlers, more than 500 performing horses and almost 50 elephants. He also says that four bands and three calliope will take part in the big parade which will precede the shows here Aug. 9.

The parade, Thompson asserts, will be more than two miles in length and will serve to indicate to Memphians the stellar worth of the performances to be given here.

The circus will travel to Memphis in 52 cars, according to the publicity man.

HUNTSVILLE MUNICIPAL ELECTION FIGHT OPENS

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., July 30. (Spt.)—City politics is beginning to simmer and the October municipal election this year is not going to be any less interesting than Huntsville municipal elections in the past.

The first official announcement of a candidate was made Wednesday afternoon by William T. Hutchens, former mayor and former postmaster, who will make the race for mayor. Another announcement came later in the day, that of Alderman Frank L. Adams, who is now a candidate for president of the city council. M. R. Murray, present president of the council, and S. O. Holmes, member of the council, are spoken of as possible candidates for mayor. There will also be several candidates for places on the council.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.


Herman E. Engelberg and Bertha May Goldberger; George H. Blakeney and Dora N. Willis; H. A. Warden and Ruth Burdette; Galvin Brown and Ladell Butler; John W. Leon and Nellie Herndon; Fred Taylor and Alma Buchanan; Lonnie Dean and Nettie Williams.

BIRTHS.

W. H. and Irene McKim, Baptist Memorial hospital, July 25; girl. Archibald and Christine Baker, Baptist Memorial hospital, July 25; girl. Chisney T. and Jessie Blake Wiseman, Baptist Memorial hospital, July 18; boy. R. V. and Florence Farrar, 278 California, July 23; boy. Osborne and Jennie Barton Ellington, General hospital, July 25; girl. A. G. and Myrtle Haines Hawks, Bush hospital, July 24; boy. S. F. and Violet Collier Hubbard, 1111 Walker, July 24; boy. Houston and Ida Willingham, General hospital, July 27; boy. Lewis and Mary Holmes, General hospital, July 27; girl.

DEATHS.

Brodie H. Finley, age 45, 218 South Pauline, July 17; cerebral hemorrhage. La Vera Goley, age 18, 579 Gaston, July 25; tuberculosis. William McKinley Mack, age six, trained, Harvard street, July 15; pneumonia. Clara Williamson, age 40, 216 Morgan, July 27; nephritis. Grace M. Johnson, age 31, Bartlett, July 24; tuberculosis. Alfred Berry, age 60, rear 491 Union, July 27; paralysis.



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PLANTERS WORRIED BY GRASS WORMS

Many complaints have been received by the farm bureau section of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce regarding the army of grass worms which is doing a great deal of damage to the cotton crop of this section.

For the benefit of these planters the bureau Friday announced that there were several easy methods that could be used to exterminate the pests. The easiest and one of the most efficient ways of getting rid of the worm is by poisoning. A mixture of Paris green and flour or slack lime in the proportions of one pound of Paris green to five pounds of flour or lime, is supposed to be the most reliable method of poisoning. This can be sprayed on the plants infected with the worm or a simple sprayer can be made from two canvas bags which are attached to the end of a pole long enough to reach from one row of plants to the other. These bags are filled with the mixture and the pole placed across the tops of the plants. The powder is spread over the plants by giving the pole a slight jar when the bags are directly above the plants.

The best time to do this spraying is early in the morning or late in the afternoon when the dew is on the plants.

The most effective way of destroying the worms, the officials of the farm bureau said, was to burn them when they web. This can be done by placing excelsior over the web and firing it.

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\$8,000 FIRE AT CAMDEN.

CAMDEN, Ark., July 29. (Spt.)—The Cotton Belt restaurant, owned by M. H. Schneider, was destroyed by fire Thursday. The flames started when a pan of grease caught fire in the kitchen of the restaurant and quickly spread throughout the building. The loss is estimated at \$8,000, with \$4,000 insurance.

FIRE DAMAGES BRIDGE.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Train service over the Williamsburg bridge will not be normal for two days, it was announced today, because of a fire which late last night destroyed large sections of railroad ties. An estimated damage of \$5,000 was caused by the fire, believed to have been caused by sparks from passing river craft igniting the oily ties.

CHAMBER SECRETARY SPENDING VACATION

W. H. Hayley, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, is spending a short vacation at Port Colborne, Ontario, Canada. He went east via Chicago where he stopped off to present a petition from the traffic and transportation division addressed to L. M. Allen, vice-president and traffic manager of the Rock Island railway, asking that the Cotton Belt trains be stopped at Forrest City, Ark. The Forrest City people are anxious to have these facilities for getting to Memphis and back home. Mr. Hayley will spend the latter part of his vacation at Madison, Wis., where he will attend a course of lectures on community work at the University of Wisconsin under the auspices of the American City Bureau.

John A. Owsnach is acting secretary in the absence of Mr. Hayley.

LOCAL CHAMBER TO ENTERTAIN BANKERS

Preparations are being made by the Chamber of Commerce to entertain the delegation of the Oklahoma Bankers' association, which is scheduled to visit Memphis on their way to attend the American Bankers' association in Washington. They will arrive in Memphis Oct. 13, at 8 o'clock in the morning and will depart late in the evening of the same day.

They will probably be taken to the Memphis Country club where they will be given the freedom of the golf links and all other facilities of the club for the day. A luncheon will also be served to them at the club.

SATURDAY FINAL TIME ON U. S. TAXES

Friday and Saturday mark the close of the time allotted by the internal revenue department for the paying of special taxes. It was announced Friday by officials at the local internal revenue department that all delinquents who fail to make payments of these special taxes before Saturday night will be prosecuted.

The taxes included in this list are those on capital stock, automobiles for hire, pleasure boats, doctors' and pharmacists' narcotics, poolrooms, theaters of all kinds, cigar manufacturers and dealers in oleomargarine.

These taxes are payable now for the year beginning July 1, 1920 and ending June 30, 1921.

Negro Kills Wife During Honeymoon

BLITHEVILLE, Ark., July 29. (Spt.)—John Dukes, negro, 22, shot and killed his wife, 20, Wednesday. John has been married to his wife only two weeks and the motive of the killing is not known. They lived in the house with the woman's kin, and had intended to move to other quarters by the time their "honeymoon" was up. He went into the room where his wife was and on a pretense of getting a suit of clothes out of his trunk got out his pistol and shot the woman as she was standing before a mirror, the bullet passing through her brain into her hand, which was at the time being used in putting up her hair. He then ran the others out of the house and left. Officers were notified and bloodhounds were procured from Dyersburg, Tenn., to track the fugitive.


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GIBSON COUNTY TO HAVE FARM DEMONSTRATOR

TRENTON, Tenn., July 30. (Spt.)—Gibson county is to have a farm demonstrator. At a special call meeting of the magistrates of Gibson county Thursday they voted a donation of \$2,000 to procure the services of a good farm demonstrator.

The court also voted a tax rate of 75 cents as a tax rate for taxable property for 1920. The total property assessment for 1919 was more than \$9,000,000 and for 1920, the total assessment will be over \$10,000,000, three times the value for 1919. The tax rate for 1919 was \$2. The increased valuation of the property, with a lower tax rate gives the county more than \$20,000 revenue over 1919.

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Chuck Steak	23c	Wiensers	24c
Chuck Roast	17 1/2c	Franks	24c
Shoulder Roast	25c	Brookfield Butter	65c
Veal Brisket	14c	Picnic Hams	27c
Veal Shoulder	22c	Skinless Hams	44c
Veal Rib Chops	22 1/2c	Small Hams	44c
Veal Legs	24c	Lamb Legs	40c
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